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Editorial.

THE SEASON.

The fall feed is apparently very promising throughout New England. This will be a partial offset to the short crop of hay which was the result of the severe drought of May and June, and if the mild weather of Autumn is continued late into November as many predict, it will be of essential aid to most farmers who keep large stocks of cattle. The rains of last month carried on the foliage of trees and vegetation generally with wonderful luxurience, and it was a subject of general remark. And though it was too late to help the hay crop, it was of great service to other and later crops and to the springs which needed all the rain we had to fill them up on the approach of fall. Pears are abundant but the apple crop is small.

THE STUDY OF NATURE.

A school in the country, especially in a farming district, ought to aim to give the pupil a good knowledge of the natural objects which come under the eye of every one of common observation. To do this it is necessary to have a teacher who is competent to interest, a teacher who knows and is capable of imparting instruction and of creating an interest and a spirit of inquiry in the minds of his pupils.

We hope the time is coming when the children of our schools will know the names and the properties of the plants, the trees, the minerals and the animals that come within the range of their daily observation. Every farmer's boy ought to have the advantage of this kind of instruction. It adds vastly to the happiness of life and does much to impart the power of intelligent observation in which most people are wonderfully deficient.

MASSACHUSETTS AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

The facilities for obtaining a liberal education at the Massachusetts Agricultural College are now very great and the expenses of the course so low as to bring it within the reach of all who are ambitious to improve.

To every farmer in Massachusetts who desires to educate his son as well as his means will allow, and what farmer does not, this institution offers inducements such as no other college can offer for the cost.

There are now sixty-seven young men, who have been connected with the college as special or regular students, engaged in agricultural pursuits. The whole number who have come there with the avowed intention of becoming farmers is seventy-five, and there are several whose business is unknown.

THE FAIRS.

The county agricultural fairs are now in full blast, and it is the duty of every farmer to do his level best to show what his section is about, by exhibiting the fruits of his summer's work. There are few farms that are managed with ordinary care that cannot show something that will be interesting or instructive to the crowds who will visit the fairs in the course of the few next weeks.

We want to see some effort made to give our fairs a more strictly agricultural character instead of compelling everybody to devote all the time to the horse and to his performances on the track. We are perfectly willing to give the horse his place and to allot to him his fair share of time and money, but when he is allowed to absorb all the attention, it is carrying the thing too far.

NEW HARNESS.

We are glad to see the effort made by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to improve the style of harness for the horse and the ox. We have always thought there was an imperative demand for some easier mode of enabling the ox to throw his strength into his work than the old and clumsy yoke. It is heavy and cumbersome and not particularly well adapted to enable the animal to exert his strength to advantage, while its application often seems to amount to positive cruelty.

The only substitute that we have seen tried is a simple arrangement by which the animal pusned the load by a simple contrivance passing around the forehead below the horns. But other styles of harness have been suggested and it is a matter of duty to have the subject examined and find out the best and the least objectionable methods.

The Local Fairs.—Following close after the Fair of the New England Agricultural Society are those of the states and counties, no one of which should be slighted by the farmers of their immediate locality. These are the rills and streams that supply the great lake of the New England Annual Fair, now fully established as an agricultural institution by ten successive and successful exhibitions. Let, therefore, each neighborhood proffer its contributions freely to the shows that belong as it were personally to them, and prove that the spirit of the greater Fair has its origin among the farmers themselves, who cherish a personal interest in all. These reunions are the last of the conventions of the field which herald a completed harvest and an entire change of occupation, and as such are held in deserved honor by those who give them their spirit and meaning.

OFFICIAL LIST —OF— PREMIUMS

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The Society's Medal is offered for the best Bull, of any of this breed; also, one for the best Cow or Heifer of the same breed; open to competition for *prize* animals, and to animals from any part the United States or the Canadas. No animals under one year of age shall compete for this premium.

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Bull, "Duke of Airdrie," Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass., Society's Medal.
Cow, Orange, "Gwynne," Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass., Society's Medal.
Best Cow in milk under 5, "Oxford Prince," 1st prem $10,00, L. C. Fisher, Cabot, Vt.
Rose Duke, son of Baroness, 2d prem 20,00, Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass.
Dairyman, 3d prem, diploma, A. T. Judd, So. Hadley, Mass.
Best bull, 2 yrs. old, Roan Prince, 1st prem, 30,00, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt.
Belvidere, 2d prem, 15,00, Chas. Parsons, Jr., Conway, Mass.
Oxford Airdrie, 3d prem, diploma, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt
Best 1 yr. old bull, George Thorndale, 1st prem, 20,00, Charles Parsons, Conway, Mass; Star of the East, 2d prem, 10,00, Robt. Elwell, Langdon, N. H.
Best bull calf, Prince Leaham, 1st prem, 10,00, L. C. Fisher, Cabot, Vt.; Emperor, 2d prem, diploma, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt.

HERD PREMIUMS.

1st prem, 40,00, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt.; 2d prem, 20,00, Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass.; 3d prem, diploma, Charles Parsons, Jr., Conway, Mass.
Best cow, 4 years and upwards—1st prem, Mazurka of Fairview, 40 00, Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg; 2d prem, Seraphic, 20 00, Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass.; 3d prem, Highland Maid 2d, L. C. Fisher, Cabot, Vt.
Best heifer, 3 yrs old, first premium, 3d, Knightly Duchess, Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass; 2d premium 20,00, Rosa Bonheur 3d, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt.; 3d premium, diploma, Peri Fairview, Augustus Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass.
Best heifer, 2 yrs old, first prem, 20,00, Pride of Malvern, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt; 2d prem, 10 00 Lady Mary 4th, A W Griswold, Morristown, Vt; 3rd prem, dip, Bloom, A. & E. Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass.
1 yr old heifers, first prem, 15,00, Lady Mary 5th, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt; 2d prm, 10, Nicobe, A W Griswold, Morristown, Vt; 3d prem, dip, Lady Conway 3d, Chas. Parsons, Jr. Conway, Mass.
Heifer calf, 1st prem, 10,00, Nellie Gwynne, A. W. Griswold, Morristown, Vt; 2d prem, dip, Knightly Duchess 3d, A. & E. Whitman, Fitchburg, Mass.

Devons.

Sweepstakes, bull—Lion, Society's medal, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass; cow—Fairy 9th, Joseph Holmes Bozrahville, Conn.
Best bull 3 yrs old and upwards, 1st prem, 40,00, Lion, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass.
Bull 3 yrs old and under 5 yrs, 1st prem, 40. Hyde's Fazia, Joseph Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn; 2d prem, 20,00, Rockland, Isaac Woodbury, Salem, N H.
Bull 2 yr old and under 3 yrs, 1st prem, 30,00, Duke of Milton, J Carter Brown, East Greenwich, R I; 2d prem, 15,00, Pennecook, John B Sanborn, East Concord, N. H.
Bulls 1 yr old, 1st prem, 20,00, Duke of Exeter, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass; 2d prem, 10,00, Mountain Ranger, John B Sanborn, East Concord, N H; 3d prem, dip, Neptune, Joseph Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn.
Bull calves, 1st prem, 10,00, Uncas Chief, Jos. Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn; 2d prem, dip, Dan Webster, Ward Parker, Merrimack, N. H.
Cows—4 yrs old and upwards, 1st prem, 40,00, Fairy 8th, Joseph Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn; 2d prem, 20,00, Cowslip, J Carter Browne, East Greenwich, R I; 3d prem, dip, Rose 7th, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass.
Heifers 3 yrs old, 1st prem, 30,00, Fairy 12th Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass; 2d 20,00, Rose 8th, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass; 3d dip, Jessie Frazier, Ward Parker, Merrimac, N H; 4th, 10,00, recommend, Mass. Agricultural College, Amherst, Mass.
Heifers 2 yrs old, 1st prem, 20,00 Rose 10th, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass; 2d 10,00, Rose 2d, Isaac Woodbury, Salem, N H; 3d dip, Lady Stafford, Joseph Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn.
Heifer 1 yr old, 1st prem, 15,00, Sontag, Wm Mattoon, Springfield, Mass; 2d 10,00, Holmes Fairy, Joseph Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn; 3d dip, Mountain Ranger, John B Sanborn, East Concord, N H.
Heifer calves, 1st prem, 10,00, Rose 4th, Ward Parker, Merrmac, N H; 2d dip, Fairy 11th, B. Joseph Holmes, Bozrahville, Conn.
Your committee would recommend a testimonial of a silver medal to be given to Wm. Mattoon, of Springfield, Mass. as the breeder of the 2 yrs. old bull, Duke of Hampden, one of the most extraordinary animals of his age, in point of size, symmetry and style we have seen in this country.

Ayrshire.

Sweepstake bull—Prince John, Society's medal, S. M. & D. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn. Sweepstake, cow—Susie Douglass, Society's medal J. D. W. French, No. Andover, Mass.
Herd prem, 1st prem, 40,00, S. M. & D. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn; 2d 20,00, J R Kendall, Woburn, Mass.; 3d do, diploma, J D W French, N. Andover, Mass.
Bulls, 3 yrs old and under 5— 1st prem, 40,00, Prince Edward, Joseph C. Brown, No. Providence R.I.; 2d do., 20,00, Waverly, S. M. & D. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn; 3d do., diploma, McMalcolm, J. R. Kendall Woburn, Mass.
2 yrs old, 1st prem, 30,00, Robbin, L. W. Weston, Lincoln, Mass.; 2d do, 15,00, Massachusetts, J.R.Kendall, Woburn, Mass; 3d dip, Alexis, Fred L. Ames, No. Easton, Mass.;
1 yr old 1st prem, 25,00, Prince John, S. M. & D. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn; 2d prem, 10,00, Merrimac, J. D. W. French, No. Andover, Mass; a completed harvest and an entire change of occupation, and as such are held in deserved honor by those who give them their spirit and meaning.

Best bull, 5 yrs old with show of stock, 40,00, Lexington, H Reed, Lexington, Mass.
Cows 4 yr old and over, 1st prem, 40,00, Helen Mar, S M & D. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn; 2d prem, 20,00, Dolly J. D. W. French, No. Andover, Mass; 3d dip, Rose, J. D. W. French.
Heifers 3 yrs old, 1st prem. 30,00, Sophie Douglass, J. D. W. French, No. Andover, Mass; 2d prem, 20,00, Io, J. R. Kendall, Woburn, Mass; 3d prem, dip, Cora 2d, Isaac Hazard, No. Providence, R I.
2 yrs old 1st prem, 20,00, Sally, Fred L. Ames, No. Easton, Mass; 2d prem, dip, May, J. R. Kendall, Woburn, Mass; 3d prem, dip, Edith, S M. & D. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn.
1 yr. old, 1st prem, 15,00, Mary Burke, J. D. W French, No. Andover, Mass; 2d 10,00, Blythe, J R Kendall, Woburn, Mass; 3d prem, dip, Tea Rose, J D W French, No. Andover.
Heifer calf 1st prem, 10,00, Ula, J. R. Kendall, Woburn, Mass; 2d prem, dip, Bertie, H. Reed, Lexington, Mass; 3d prem, recommended to Lilac, J. D. W. French, No. Andover, Mass.

Herefords.

Sweepstakes, on Bull—Society's Medal—Compton Ladd, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.; Cow—Society's Medal—Hebe 8th, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.
Herd Premiums—1st prem, 40,00, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.; 2d prem. 20,00, G E Shores, Waterville, Me.
Bulls with show of stock—1st prem, 40,00, Compton Ladd, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.
Bull 3 yrs old and under 4 yrs—1st prem, 40,00, Duke of Somerset, G E Shores, Waterville Me.; 2nd prem, 20,00, Mohawk, Arthur Clough, Canterbury, N H; 3d prem, dip., Gen. Grant, 2nd, H. C. Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.
2 yrs, old, 1st prem, 30,00, Captain, G E Shores, Waterville, Me.; 2d prem, 15,00, Crown Prince, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.
1 yr old, 1st prem, 20,00, Gen Grant, 2nd, H. C. Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.; 2nd prem, 10,00, Duke of Canterbury, Arthur Clough, Canterbury, N H.
Bull calf—1st prem, 10,00, Gov. Brown, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.; 2nd prem, Dip., May Duke, G E Shores, Waterville, Me.
Best Cows 4 yrs old and upwards—1st prem, 40,00, Verbena 2d, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.; 2nd prem, 20,00, Necklace 5th, G E Shores, Waterville, Me.
Heifers 3 yrs old— 1st prem, 30,00, Kate, G E Shores, Waterville, Me; 2nd prem, 20,00, Hebe 7th, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.
2 yrs,—1st prem, 20,00, Hebe 8th, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me; 2nd prem, 10,00, Necklace 8th, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me; 3d prem, Dip, Lady Ann, Arthur Clough, Canterbury, N H.
1 yr—1st prem, 15,00, Mayflower, G E Shores, Waterville, Me; 2nd prem, 10,00, Silkey, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.
Heifer calves—1st prem, 10,00, Hebe 9th, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me; 2nd prem, Hebe 10th, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me.

Aldderneys.

Sweepstakes on Bulls—Society's Medal—S C Colt, Hartford Ct; Cow, Society's Medal—Dr. N B Boutelle, Waterville, Me
Best Herds—1st prem, 40,00, S C Colt, Hartford, Ct; 2nd prem, 20,00, Dr. N R Boutelle, Waterville, Me.; 3d prem, Dip, Wm T Cook, Foxboro', Mass.
Bulls 3 years and under 5,— 1st prem, 40,00, Pierrott, S C Colt, Hartford, Ct.; 2d, prem, 20,00, Mogul, J Carter Brown, East Greenwich, R I; 3d prem, Dip, Kilpatrick, D O Fish, Shelburne Falls, Mass.
2 yrs old, 1st prem, 30,00, Harold, Wm P Cook, Foxboro', Mass.; 2d prem, 15,00 Geo Grant, Edward Brooks, Medford, Mass.; 3d prem, Dip, Mana Rajah, Wm S Tilton, Augusta, Me.
1 yr old—1st prem, 20,00, Harvey, Wm Smith, North Attleboro', Mass; 2d prem, 10,00, Lord Aylmer, Dr. N R Boutelle, Waterville, Me.; 3d prem, Dip, 2d Duke of Jersey, Hayward Bros., Bridgewater, Mass.
Bull Calf—1st prem, 10,00, Beacon Comet 17th, Hayward Bros, Bridgewater; 2d do, Dip, Mogador, J Carter Brown, E. Greenwich, R I.
Cows, 4 years and upwards—1st prem 40,00, Fancy, N R Boutelle, Waterville, Me; 2d prem, 20,00, Hebe,, Dr. N R Boutelle, Waterville, Me; 3d prem, Bergereue, Wm T Cook, Foxboro', Mass.
Heifers 3 yrs old—1st prem, 30,00, Imperial, Wm T Cook, Foxboro', Mass; 2d prem, 20,00, Coconaut, J Carter Brown, E. Greenwich, R I; 3d prem, Dip, Rose 2nd, S C Colt, Hartford, Ct.
Heifers 2 yrs old—1st prem, 20,00, Arthur, Wm T Cook, Foxboro, Mass; 2d prem, 10,00, Madeline, J Carter Brown, E Greenwich, R I; 3d prem, Dip, Fanchon 2d, S C Colt, Hartford, Ct.
Heifers 1 yr old—1st prem, 15,00, Sorelle, Dr. N R Boutelle, Waterville, Me; 2d prem, 10,00, Clarabelle, J Carter Brown E. Greenwich, R I; 3d prem, Dip, Finette, Dr. N R Boutelle, Waterville, Me.
Heifer calf—1st prem, 10,00, Amber, Wm T Cook, Foxboro', Mass; 2d prem, Dip, Heatherbelle, Hayward Bros., Bridgewater, Mass.
The committee, in closing their report, make the sensible suggestion, that a suitable badge should be provided to designate the sweepstakes and herd premiums, as the present custom of giving each herd a first premium ribbon, may lead to misunderstanding.

Holstein.

Sweepstakes on Bull, Society's Medal, Van Tromp, 2nd do, T. B. Wales, South Framingham, Mass; Cow, Society's medal, Grace Opperdoes, T. B. Wales, South Framingham, Mass.
Best Herds, 1st prem, 40,00, W. W. Chenery, Belmont, Mass; 2nd do, 20,00, Chas. Houghton, Natick, Mass.
Bulls 5 yr. with show of Stock Midwould, 7th, W. W. Chenery, Belmont Mass.
Bulls, 3 yrs old, 1st prem 40,00, T. B Wales, South Framingham, Mass; 2d prem 20,00, W. W. Chenery, Belmont, Mass; 3d do, diploma, Wm. S. Tilton, Augusta, Me.
Bulls, 2 yr old, 1st prem 30,00, 4th Highland Chief, Massachusetts Agricultural College, Amherst Mass; 2d do 15,00, Kaiser, Chas. Houghton, Putney, Vt.
Bulls, 1 yr old, 1st prem 20,00, Denmark, Wm, S. Tilton, Augusta Me; 2d do 10,00, Van Tromp, 4th, T. B Wales, South Framingham, Mass; 3d do diploma, 6th Lord of Texelaar, W. W. Chenery, Belmont, Mass.
Bull Calf, 10,00, Van Tromp, 5th, T. B. Wales, South Framingham, Mass; 2d do diploma, 7th, Lord of Texelaar, W. W. Chenery, Belmont, Mass.
Cows 4 yrs old and upwards, 1st prem 40,00 Maid of Opperdoes, T. B. Wales, South Framingham, Mass; 2d do, 20,00, Itzehoe, Wm. S. Tilton, Augusta, Me; 3d diploma, Texelaar 10th W. W. Chenery, Belmont, Mass.
Heifers 3 yrs old, 1st prem 30,00, Zuyder Zee 7th, T B Wales; South Framingham, Mass.
Heifer 2yrs old, 1st prem, 20,00, Maid of Holstein, T B Wales South Framingham, 2d do, 10,00, Opperdoes 19th, W W Chenery, Belmont, Mass; 3d do, diploma, Menie, Chas. Houghton, Putney, Vt.
Heifer one yr old, 1st prem 15,00, Texelaar 18th, W W Chenery, Belmont, Mass.
Heifer Calf, 1st prem, 1st prem, 10,00, Dora, T. B. Wales, South Framingham, Mass; 2d do, diploma, Princess Alexandra, W S Tilton, Augusta, Me.

Grade or Native.

1st prem, $5,00, T B Wales, So. Framingham, Mass; 2d do, 15,00, Chas Houghton, Putney, Vt; 3d do, diploma, Wm Eames, Worcester, Mass.

Swiss Bulle.

Belmont, a gratuity of 10,00 recommended to Mass. Agricultural College, Amherst, Mass.

Brittany Cattle.

Cow Charlotte, gratuity of 10 00, McLean Asylum, Somerville, Mass; cow Pauline, gratuity of 10,00 to Mass Agricultural College, Amherst, Mass.; bull Merlin, gratuity of 10,00 to Mass. Agl. College, Amherst, Mass.

Foreign Sheep and Swine.

Terceira Sheep, gratuity of 2 00, M. Borges de F. Henriques, Medford, Mass.; Payal pig, do 2,00 to do do do; Rio Janeiro, do 2,00, to do do.

Working Oxen.

6 yrs old over, 1st prem, 25,00, Wm Warren, Scarboro', Me; 2d do, 10,00, G & W Haines, Bedford, Mass.
5 yrs old, 1st prem, 20,00, H C Burleigh, Fairfield, Me; 2d do, 10 00, J F Leach, Bridgewater, Mass.

Steers.

4 yrs old, 1st premium, 20 00, Henry Morrison, Scarboro', Me; 2d do, 10 00, John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H.
3 yrs old, 1st premium, 15 00, O B King, Watertown, Conn; 2d do 10 00, do do do.
2 yrs old, 1st prem, 10 00, Frank H Butler, Nottingham, NH; 2d do, 5,00 A H Royce, St. Albans, Vt; 3d do, diploma, O B King, Watertown, Conn.
1 yr old, 1st prem, 10,00, A Hamilton, Watertown, Conn; 3d do, diploma, Geo W Kittredge, North Andover, Mass.

Discipline of Oxen and Steers.

Over 7 ft in girt, prem, 15,00, Augustus Hamilton, Watertown, Conn.
7 ft and under, prem 15,00, James F Leach, Bridgewater, Mass.

CLASS II.—HORSES.

Special Premiums for Stallions.

1st prem, $100,00 or a gold medal Young Morrill, S R Perkins, Brighton, Mass.
2d do, 50,00 or a silver medal, Taggart's Abdallah, D M Taggart, Goffstown, N H.

Thoroughbred Horses.

Stallions 4 years old and upwards, 1st prem, 25,00, Gray Eagle, W W Chenery, Belmont, Mass; 2d do 15,00 Harle, Wm T Cook, Foxboro', Mass; 3d do diploma, Climax, Richard Shear, Boston, Mass; 1 year old and under 4 years, 1st premium, 25,00, Spread Eagle, W W Chenery, Belmont, Mass; Mares 4 years old and upwards, 1st premium, [illegible] Chenery, Belmont, Mass; 2d do. 15,00, Vistula, do.

Stallions for General Use.

8 years old and upwards, 1st premium, 25,00, Young Morrill, S R Perkins, Brighton, Mass; 2d do, 15,00, Taggart's Abdallah, D M Taggart, Goffstown, N H; 3d 10,00, Gratuity, Gen. Lyon, G W Dean, Danbury, N. H; 4th prem diploma, do, Live Oak W H H Murray, Guilford, Vt.
5 yrs and under 8, 1st prem, 25,00, Mambrino Thatcher, J J Hayes, Dover, N H; 2nd do, 15,00, Dreadnaught, H S Russell, Milton, Mass; 3d do, diploma, Lord Byron, D Spencer, East Greenwich, R I.
4 yrs old 1st prem, 25,00, Mambrino Lance, Augustus Tufts, Malden, Mass; 2d do, 15,00, Lambert Chief, John S Moulton, Boston, Mass; 3 do dip Arbitrator, H Waterman East Greenwich, R I.
3 yrs old 1st prem. 25,00, Manchester, Wright & Norcross, Manchester, Me; 2nd do, 10,00, Bonnie Morrill, D D Perkins, Newmarket, N H; 3d do, diploma, Morgan Abdallah, W H H Murray, Guilford, Ct.
2 yrs old 1st prem, 15,00, Sam Morrill, D D Perkins Newmarket N H; 2d do, 10,00, Auctioneer, A W Griswold, Morristown, Vt; 3d do, 5,00, Prince Lambert, J S Moulton, Boston, Mass.
The committee on classes 14th and 15th, report that there were 36 entries, and all the animals were fine and worthy of notice, the Morrill, Fearnaught, Abdallah, Lambert, Knox, Patchen, Hambletonian, and other strains, being well represented. "Your committee" they say, feeling that the real duties of the Society depended upon strict and impartial justice, have awarded the premiums, in almost every case, to strangers to themselves, to the disappointment of personal friends and acquaintances who were competing in these classes. In making the awards, we have endeavored to judge of each animal brought to our notice independently of his clothing, harness, grooming, ownership, or pedigree, but have considered size, style, action and speed.

Mares.

With foals by their sides—1st prem, 25,00, No Name, Wright & Willis, Medford, Mass; 2d do, 15,00, Jessie Wales, H S Russell, Milton, Mass; 3d do, diploma, Jennie, Josiah D. Rich Lynn, Mass.
The committee on this class make honorable mention of J P L Wescott's stock of six mares, particularly on colt without dam by his side, Nord 2d, which showed excellent walking gait to halter; also, of the Messinger mare with Colt, owned by D D Perkins, of Newmarket, N H.

Geldings and Fillies.

3 yrs old and under 4—1st prem, 25,00, E G Cook, Milford, Mass; 2d do, 10,00, C H Brown, Fitchburg, Mass.
2 yrs old—1st prem, 20,00, S N Perkins, Brighton, Mass; 2d do, 10,00, do do do; 3d do, diploma, E Coffin, Boston, Mass.
1 yr. old—1st prem, 15,00, Raymond H Perry, Bristol, R I; 2nd do, 8,00, G N Estabrook, Grafton, Mass; 3d do, diploma, J P L Westcott, Newburyport, Mass.
Fillies, 1 yr old—Diploma recommended to C H Estabrook, Grafton, Mass; Diploma recommended to James Carey, Manchester, N H; 25,00, D M Taggart, Goffstown, N H; 10,00, S G Otis, Hallowell, Me.

Gentlemen's Driving Horses.

1st prem, $100 00, Chas B Smith, North Attleboro', Mass; 2d do, 50 00, S H Tewksbury, Portland, Me; 3d do, diploma, W W Chenery, Belmont, Mass.

Matched Ponies.

1st prem, 15 00, Geo S Chapin, Watertown, Mass.

Saddle Horse.

1st prem, diploma to S L Fletcher, Manchester, Mass.

Draft Horses.

Matched—1st prem, 25 00, N C S Harrington, Boston, Mass; 2d do, 15 00, do do do.

CLASS III—SHEEP.

Long Wooled Bucks 3 yrs and over—1st prem, 10,00, D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass; 2d prem, 5,00 R G Hill, Elmore, Vt; 3d prem, Diploma, Hayward Bros., Bridgewater, Mass.
2 yrs old—1st prem, 10 00, D F Appleton Ipswich, Mass; 2d prem, 5 00, R G Hill, Elmore, Vt; 3d prem, Dip, A D Armes, Montpelier, Vt.
1 yr old—1st prem, 10 00, D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass; 2d prem, 5 00, Hayward Brothers, Bridgewater, Mass.
Buck lambs—1st prem, 10 00, Sherman Hartwell, Washington, Conn; 2d prem 5 00, R G Hill, Elmore, Vt; 3rd prem Dip D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass.
Sweepstakes—Bucks—Society's Medal, D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass; Ewe—Society's Medal, Hayward Brothers, Bridgewater, Mass.
Ewes 3 yrs old and over 2—1st prem, 10 00, Hayward Brothers, Bridgewater, Mass; 2d prem 5 00 R G Hill, Elmore, Vt; 3d prem Dip D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass.
2 yrs old—1st prem, 10 00, D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass; 2d prem, 5 00, R G Hill, Elmore, Vt; 3d prem, dip, Henry A Martin, E. Montpelier, Vt.
1 yr old—1st prem, 10 00, Hayward Brothers, Bridgewater, Mass; 2d prem, 5 00, D F Appleton, Ipswich, Mass; 3d prem, dip, Henry H Martin, E. Montpelier Vt.
Ewe lambs—1st prem, 10 00, R G Hill, Elmore, Vt; 2d prem, 5 00, Sherman Hartwell, Washington Ct; 3d prem, dip, Henry H Martin, East Montpelier, Vt.

Middle Wooled.

Sweepstakes—Bucks—Society's Medal, J Carter Brown, E. Greenwich, R I; Ewes, Society's Medal—John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H.
Herd Premiums—1st prem, 40,00, J Carter Brown, E. Greenwich R I; 2d prem, 5 00, John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H; 3d prem dip, Geo E Shores, Waterville, Me
Bucks 3 yrs old and over—1st prem, 10 00, J Carter Brown, E. Greenwich, R I.
Buck lambs—1st prem, 10 00, John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H.
Bucks 2 yrs old and over—1st prem, 10 00, J B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H.
Ewes 3 yrs old—1st prem, 10 00, John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H; 2d prem, 5 00, Geo E Shores, Waterville, Me.
Ewes 2 yrs old—1st prem 10 00, John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H.
Ewe lambs—1st prem, 10 00, John B Sanborn, E. Concord, N H.

Merinoes.

Bucks—3 yrs old and over—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d prem, 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N. H.
2 yrs old—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N H.
1 yr old—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N H.
Buck lambs—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d prem, 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N H.
2 yrs—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d prem, 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N H.
1 yr old—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d prem, 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N H.
Ewe lambs—1st prem, 10 00, A E Fuller, Pomfret, Vt; 2d prem, 5 00, H M Elwell, Langdon, N H.

CLASS IV—SWINE.

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tion. A. H. Drake of Stoughton, exhibits some remarkably fine Black Cochins and Plymouth Rocks. C. L. Parker, among his variety, has some Black and White Cochins, also a pair of Black and White Polish, large and handsome, and several pairs of geese and ducks. The Massachusetts Agricultural College contributes liberally to this, as well as to the other departments of the exhibition, and its collection embraces several very extra sized birds.

W. J. H. Knapp, of Quincy, Ill., has a patent folding poultry coop in the tent, which consists of a peculiar combination of canvas and slats, with feeding and watering facilities of novel construction, which looks like a good thing, that will be of practical service.

In this connection, it is not out of place to say a word of "Graves Improved Incubator," which is one of the independent exhibitions on the grounds, and well worthy a visit. To see chickens hatched by kerosene oil is certainly a novelty, and one calculated to ruffle the feathers of the most demure and motherly Mrs. Biddy. But the thing is done before your eyes. You see the eggs in the nests, and the young bird chip his shell and come forth into this breathing world, and presently begin to scratch for himself, like the rest of us. This exhibition has been very well attended, and afforded much amusement and satisfaction.

Clearing off.

About noon, the clouds began to break away, and there were indications that the storm was over. The yearling colts were therefore brought out on the track for exhibition, and were very much admired by a large crowd. The colts of the Gold Dust and Fearnaught family were especially attractive and beautiful. This was the only exhibition on the track during the forenoon, the rest of the programme having been necessarily postponed. But with the improvement in the weather came the necessity for improving some amusements for the crowd already on the ground, (not by any means a small one,) and the visitors who were sure to make their appearance after dinner. The managers, therefore, arranged for a running race, a trotting race, and a foot race, and the new programme was published as widely as possible.

The Races.

About three o'clock, the running horses were called out—Climax and Lexington. The track was in poor condition, and in some places quite wet and muddy, but the horses got away without any delay, Climax taking the lead and keeping it easily, coming in in 1.55. The second heat resulted in the same way, although it was more closely contested, with a sharp spurt at the end, by which Climax won by not more than a head. This race, although nothing remarkable in point of time, seemed vastly to excite and interest the crowd of two or three thousand who occupied the grand stand, or stood in the mud by the side of the track to witness it.

SUMMARY.

NEW ENGLAND FAIR, MYSTIC PARK, MEDFORD, September 4, 1873.—Running race for a purse of $100; Mile heats, best 3 in 5.

Richard Sloe's b. g. Climax	1	1
James Gray's ch. g. Lexington	2	2

Time—1.55, 1.56.

The trotting race made up for the occasion was for a purse of $100, and there were four entries, these being—J. Golden's blk. g. Brom Keeney, Lon Morris's g. m. Medalewine, A. Woodworth's b. m. Dolly Varden, and E. Spaulding's b. m. Blue Bonnet.

In the first heat, Lon Morris took the pole at the quarter, and got a lead of two lengths, which he kept to the half, with the field in a bunch. Just after passing the half, the gray mare broke, and Brom Keeney got away with the rest and took the lead, but was passed by Dolly Varden at the turn into the home stretch. The race was a close one, Keeney winning by less than half a length. In the second heat, the gray mare got away first, and led at the quarter, but soon after lost her legs and the lead was taken by Brom Keeney, as in the first heat, with the spotted mare second at the three-quarter, and this relative position was held to the wire, the black winning by a short length, making the time for the heat 2.46. In the third heat, the gray mare took the lead, as usual, but broke just after turning into the back stretch, and the black gelding came up and took a lead of half a dozen lengths almost immediately, Dolly following and leaving the gray behind. The black kept the lead to the wire with little effort, winning the heat and race.

SUMMARY.

NEW ENGLAND FAIR, MYSTIC PARK, MEDFORD, Sept. 4, 1873.—Purse of $100; mile heats, best 3 in 5, in harness.

Brom Keeney's blk. g. Brom Keeney	1	1
A. Woodworth's ch. m. Dolly Varden	2	2
E. Spaulding's b. m. Blue Bonnet	3	3

Time—2.46, 2.47, 2.46.

The spirited contest between the five heats of the trotting race, and some half dozen barefooted and not over-dressed youngsters eagerly contested for a purse of ten dollars, divided into prizes of $4, $3, $2 and $1. They ran half a mile through the mud, and a boy bearing the distinguished name of James Porter bore off the principal prize in triumph. Fame has not trumpeted the names of the other successful competitors, and they must be content with the greenbacks, without the glory.

Late in the afternoon, just as the last heat of the trotting match had been finished, another shower came up, which speedily dispersed the crowd, and thus the day ended, as it began, in rain. But it had not been a bad one for most, as it seemed likely would be the case in the morning, for there had been a very fair gathering on the grounds, and the entertainment provided seemed abundantly to satisfy all who came.

FRIDAY—FOURTH DAY.

Friday was a fair and pleasant day, but with rather too much of the "dog-day" element about it to be perfectly enjoyable. The crowd, however, were not to be deterred by the heat; the morning trains brought out thousands of people, and every description of vehicle was called into requisition, and in long and apparently endless procession came through the gates, filled with men, women and children, eager to enjoy the pleasures of the day. The cattle and horses attracted vast crowds, who loudly expressed their admiration of the comely and beautiful animals, while the various exhibition tents were crowded almost to suffocation. The programme of Thursday—the exhibition of mares with foal by their side, geldings and fillies, gentlemen's driving horses, of the different classes, matched and draught horses, and ponies,—was in order, and fully carried out.

The display of horses on the track was a very fine one, embracing, as it did, several of the best animals in the respective classes to be found in New England. P. L. Westcott, of Newburyport, exhibited a stud of six mares, each with foal, which made a fine show. Wright & Willis, of Medford, had a very handsome mare, which was highly commended. "Jessie Wales," owned by H. S. Russell, of Milton, showed excellent qualities.

About the middle of the forenoon, the gentlemen's driving horses, of which there are a large number of entries, were called upon the track, and made a very pretty sight. In the first class,—five years old and over,—style, action and road qualities, without reference to speed, were to be considered, and among the horses which attracted particular attention were "Lady Williams," owned by George W. Wales, of Concord, "Harvey," exhibited by C. E. Smith, of North Attleboro', a bay gelding owned by D. A. Brown, of Fisherville, N. H., "Sir William Wallace," a fine stallion, the property of A. Thompson, of Boston, "Lady Knox," owned by William T. Cook, of Foxboro', H. A. Hall's "Cantchouc," H. C. Sims' bay Hambletonian mare, "Dan Morrill," owned by S. R. Perkins, of Brighton, and the stallion "Hector," exhibited by E. Winship, of Hopkinton. There was a little trial of speed around the track, in which "Lady Williams" led the others.

In the next class,—four years and under five,—speed was to be considered, and a little brush was expected between the five or six horses entered under this head, but only one was shown—"Margaret Morrill," owned by S. R. Perkins, of Brighton.

It was expected that Rev. Mr. Murray and Col. Roland Worthington, of Boston, would exhibit the good points of the horses entered by them in this class, but neither of these gentlemen made his appearance.

A very fine show of matched horses followed, in which the crowd manifested great interest, some eight or ten pairs being exhibited. Charles E. Smith, of North Attleboro', drew two pairs of superior animals; S. H. Tewksbury, of Portland, Me., a pair of Knox mares, three and four years old, of fine appearance, and there were several others worthy of particular notice. One pair of Mr. Smith's horses have worked all summer, doing ordinary farm work, and yet they went round the track handsomely in three minutes.

George S. Chapin, of Watertown, Mass., exhibited a very pretty pair of matched ponies, and N. C. S. Harrington, of Boston, two pairs of large and powerful draft horses, eight and six years old respectively.

After the exhibition on the track, the horse stalls were visited by thousands of people, who crowded around the doors, eagerly drinking in the oracular words that dropped from the lips of grooms and horsemen, as they set forth the special virtues of their favorite strain of blood,—Hambletonian, Morrill, Patchen, Fearnaught, Knox, Gold Dust, or what not. "Membrino Lance," owned by Augustus Tufts, of Boston, and J. J. Hayes' "Mambrino Thatcher," were among the horses which attracted particular attention, and they are indeed noble animals; but the great object of interest was the celebrated western stallion "Smuggler," which Col. H. S. Russell, of Milton, has just added to his stud, at an expense, it is said, of $40,000, to take the place of "Fearnaught," recently deceased. The horse with the rest of Col. Russell's stud, was in charge of Messrs. Moulton, Brown & Clisby, who extended every civility to the curious crowd, and answered all their questions with good natured patience and courtesy. "Smuggler" has excellent blood in his veins, being a direct descendant from "American Eclipse," distinguished in his day as the king of the turf. It is understood that Col. Russell has already received requests for his services from Peter Jones, of Amherst, Col. J. B. Clarke, of Manchester, and Col. Oliver, of Salem, and it is expected that the horse will make a short season this fall. His head is rather too large for perfect symmetry, but he has fine limbs, and a remarkably free, open gait.

Mr. George B. Williams, of the firm of Macullar, Williams & Parker, had a very handsome and promising stallion colt on the grounds, for exhibition only, named "Clematis," out of the well-known "Williams mare," his sire being the celebrated stallion, "Robert Bonner."

Swine and Sheep.

During the intermission, let us take a look at the few pens occupied by the porcine tribe, and by our fleecy friends, who, for the main part, hail from the green hills of Vermont.

There are only half a dozen entries of swine, representing the Suffolk, Chester Whites, Essex and Berkshire breeds. A. E. Knight, of West Boylston, has a Suffolk boar, "Fearnaught, a very large animal and a litter of pigs, of the same breed, 13 weeks old, remarkably fine and good looking. One of them weighed 51 pounds when six weeks old. James S. Monroe of Lexington, the Massachusetts Agricultural College, and the McLean Asylum, also exhibit some juvenile porkers that evidently have good appetites. Hayward Bros., of Bridgewater, show a Berkshire boar and sow, fictitiously named "Cannon-ball" and "Exquisite." The latter name reminds us of an expression used by a young lady to some friends, as she came to Mr. Knight's litter of pigs, "Oh, *do* look at these pigs! Aren't they *lovely!*" Like Julia Hamson, in Willis's pleasant story, she was "born to love pigs and chickens."

The number of sheep on the ground is very small. Of the long-wooled, Henry H. Martin, of East Montpelier, A. D. Arms, of Montpelier, R. G. Hill, of Elmore, Vt., Hayward Bros., of Bridgewater, Thomas M. Laughlin, of Ipswich, Mass., and D. F. Appleton, of the same place, are the principal exhibitors, and some very fine animals are shown, prominent among which are the imported ram "Lord Gladstone" owned by Hayward Brothers, and Robert G. Hill's "Emperor."

John B. Sanborn, of Concord, N. H., exhibits the largest number of middle wooled, including four Southdown bucks, and some nice ewes, and ewe and buck lambs. Geo. E. Shores, of Waterville, Me., has a few Oxford down bucks and ewes of good size and appearance; and J. Carter Brown, of East Greenwich, R. I., shows three ewes of the Shropshire breed, and two bucks.

H. M. Elwell, of Langdon, N. H., A. E. Fuller, of Pomfret, Vt., and Albro E. Perkins, of the same place, are the only exhibitors of Merinoes, and there appears to be no very marked difference in the character of the animals.

The Track.

In the afternoon the crowd was even more dense than in the morning. The grand stand was crowded, and the track was lined for a quarter of a mile on each side with a surging mass of humanity, crowding and struggling to get a view of the horses, while hundreds of vehicles, of all descriptions, from the stylish barouche to the humble "one horse shay," or cart, occupied the ground in the rear.

There were three races on the programme, but before the trotting began, "Smuggler" was brought out, and driven round the track, by Mr. Marvin, who came from Kansas with him. The last half mile he was speeded, and made remarkably good time—1.06. The last quarter, including the home stretch, was made in 32 seconds.

The Gold Dust stock, a large and exceedingly handsome string, including several colts, entered for the special premium of a gold medal, but, owing to some mistake, the entry was not given to the committee, and they did not see him until this time.

The first race was called at two o'clock, and was for a purse of $250, for horses that have never beaten 2.50. There were eleven entries, but only four answered the bell—"Peter Simple," "Dustin Jim," "Snow King," and "Blue Bonnet." After some time spent in scoring, the horses were sent off, "Blue Bonnet" going to the front; but on the backside, "Dustin Jim" took the lead, and kept it although closely pressed by "Blue Bonnet." "Peter" coming in third, and "Snow King" last. The second heat was substantially a repetition of the first, with the exception that "Snow King" was still further behind and distanced. On the third heat, the same order was taken at the start, and maintained until the end. The following is a

SUMMARY.

NEW ENGLAND FAIR, MYSTIC PARK, Sept. 5.—Purse of $250 for horses that never beat 2.50, mile heats, three in five, $150 to first, $60 to second, $40 to third.

J. A. Dustin, ns. b. g. Dustin Jim	1	1	1
E. Spaulding, ns. ch. m. Blue Bonnet	2	2	2
W. J. Payne's b. g. Peter Simpes	3	3	3
W. Park, ns. w. g. Snow King	4	dis.	

Time—2.36, 2.38, 2.38.

The second race was for gentlemen's driving horses, that had never beaten 2.45, owner to drive, to road wagons. Six horses started, but Mr. Worcester's "Baby Boy" easily took the lead, and won in 2.40, "Pet," "Russell," "Fisk," "Seamstress," and "Tom" following, in the order named. It was evident that "Baby Boy" was too much for his competitors, and he won the heat, apparently without an effort. On the second heat, "Tom" was distanced, and on the last, the flag was dropped before "Fisk" passed the wire.

SUMMARY.

MYSTIC PARK, Medford, Sept. 5. New England Fair Purse of $250 for gentleman's driving horses, owner to drive, for horses that have never beaten 2.45; $150 to first, $60 to second, $40 to third.

A. W. Worcester's w. g. Baby Boy	1	1	1
Owner's b. m. Pet	2	4	2
W. J. Payne's b. g. John T. Russell	3	2	3
D. C. Keay's spt. g. Jim Fisk	4	3	dis.
J. Whittemore's, ch. m. Seamstress	5	5	2
James Gray's, br. g. Tom	6	dis.	

Time—2.40, 2.37, 2.35.

Then came a running race, between "Climax" and "Col. Oliver," formerly "Ginger," not very sharply contested, although a little spurt on the home stretch in the last heat created some interest and excitement "Climax" was the winner—a foregone conclusion, apparently.

SUMMARY.

Richard Sloe's b. g. Climax	1	1
Owner's ch. g. Colonel Oliver	2	2

Time—1.53½ ; 2.04 ; 2.06.

A foot race of half a mile also came off, for which eight competitors entered. Edward Kirby of Manchester, N. H., was the winner, and went his way rejoicing, four dollars the richer for his brief effort of some three minutes.

Before the last heat of the running race, the black stallion "Lothair," sired by "Gen. Knox," was driven round the track, by Mr. Bowen, and made his mile in 2.35. Mr. Bowen then drove the five-year-old stallion "Ben Morrill," by "Winthrop Morrill," who showed good speed, trotting a quarter in 36 3-4 seconds.

The races closed the programme, and nearly closed the day, and the tired, yet pleased and satisfied crowd, were glad to seek the rest and refreshment of home; and soon the Park was cleared of all save the necessary attendants,—enough of themselves to make a small town,—

> "And silence, like a poultice, fell
> To heal the blows of sound."

SATURDAY—FIFTH DAY.

ADDRESS OF REV W. H. H. MURRAY.

Closing Scenes.

As has been stated, it was determined on Thursday to continue the exhibition through Saturday, with the hope and expectation that the programme announced for that day would prove sufficiently attractive to induce a large attendance, and thus in a measure, at least, make good the loss occasioned to the Society by the storm of Thursday. But the result was another illustration of the oft-quoted lines

> "The best laid schemes o' mice and men
> Gang aft a-gley."

The crowd did not come, notwithstanding the loveliness of the day, the most cool and delightful of the week. The Fair saw its culmination on Friday; its life and brightness were gone, leaving nothing but a feeble and somewhat melancholy flicker for the closing scene.

The cattle pens and horse stalls were substantially deserted, the owners of the stock having found it necessary to remove them the night before, to save the inconvenience and expense of keeping them on the grounds over the Sabbath. The only considerable herd remaining was that of Mr. Chenery, who, residing but a few miles from the Park, was able to give the visitors of to-day the satisfaction of seeing his fine Holsteins—an opportunity which was eagerly improved. The show of poultry, agricultural implements, etc., remained almost intact, so that the late comers were not without the means of spending their time pleasantly during the forenoon, apart from the literary exercises.

At nine and a half o'clock the band appeared on the ground, and played some charming music to a small company, who enjoyed it thoroughly.

Soon after ten o'clock, the Chief Marshal, F. M. Spaulding, with his aids, (including Messrs. John Tewksbury, of Bradford, Mass., and Burt Hoyt, of Charlestown, appointed since the opening of the exhibition, and who have rendered efficient service), with a squad of Boston police, and President Loring and Secretary Needham, preceded, the band accompanying them, to the station of the Lowell railroad, where his Excellency, Gov. Washburn, with Adjutant Gen. Cunningham and Col. Ripley of his staff, Hon. Milo Hildreth and Hon. D. H. Stickney of the Council, and Hon. Charles Endicott, State Auditor, were received and escorted to the grounds. The distinguished guests then proceeded to the judges' stand, where they were joined by several prominent gentlemen of our own and other States, among them the orator of the day, Rev. Mr. Murray, Ex-Gov. Smyth, and Gen. Natt Head, of N. H., Hon. Ginery Twitchell, and Hon. Mr. Mudge, of Danvers. A procession was formed of the horses remaining on the grounds,—which took the place of what was intended to be a grand show of all the stock and horses exhibited,—which marched round the track, preceded by the band; a lamentable falling off from what, had the procession been formed on Friday, could not have failed to have been exceedingly attractive and interesting.

After this ceremony, the company proceeded to the President's tent, where the address was to be delivered, which was soon after the arrival filled to overflowing by a distinguished orator, President Loring said:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—The tenth New England Fair is about to close. I desire to congratulate the society and the farmers of New England upon its success. This is a vast improvement over the first, and I think a far greater one than we have had at any time. The manifest improvement that has taken place in agricultural implements, in horses, in cattle, and in all the various branches of agricultural industry, is extremely interesting to all those who believe in agriculture as a branch of New England business. The farmers of the New England States, as a class we is, to call about it as many of the chief magistrates of New England as are kind enough to attend upon our deliberations, and this is the only day for such service. In addition to this, we always desire to do our share of the intellectual work of a State like Massachusetts, and I congratulate you and the Society that we have secured for this occasion one of the bright lights of the intellect of New England; and I now introduce to you the Rev. Mr. Murray, of Park street church, Boston, who will deliver the annual address. (Applause).

Rev. Mr. Murray's Address.

Mr. President and Members of the New England Agricultural Society, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I must acknowledge that in undertaking my address, my profound sense of the courtesy extended to me by the society by whose invitation I am here as the speaker of the day, I thought it was only right to realize how keen is my appreciation of the compliment, or how positive the pleasure with which it fills me. The duties and privileges of my public life are brought to me in the opportunity to discuss many themes before many audiences, and on many occasions of public and private interest, but I do not recall—and I beg to wish to discover utterance—any occasion when and where, I was sensible of so much personal satisfaction as I feel to-day, standing in this presence, welcomed by the prosperous yeomanry of New England as one of their number, and which have no more hostile exhibitions than find their manifestation in those grounds, and in the fine interest. Their influence, which some seem to regard as matter to point their satire, appear to me to be only the inevitable accidents attending all new enterprises and untested methods, while their successes have resulted in the benefit of all.

The interest which these gentlemen have taken in agriculture is vitally not only because of the results it has actually wrought, but because it proves that the love of the soil and of the innocent and healthy mode of life inseparable connected with its cultivation is still strong in the hearts of men.

That this is a fact, no careful observer of American tendencies can fail to see. The wild craving for the life of city customs which has been a distinctive feature of American Society is dying away. A new and healthier longing is driving it in the wind. The money and a mode of life regarding more and more to look toward the country. There is a growing yearning in their eyes for its sweet fields, and clear skies and wide, free spaces, where men, hours and days are become than we have had at any time. The manifest improvement that has taken place in agricultural implements, in horses, in cattle, and in all the various branches of agricultural industry, is extremely interesting to all those who believe in agriculture as a branch of New England business. The farmers of the New England States, as a class we is, to call about it as many of the chief magistrates of New England as are kind enough to attend upon our deliberations, and this is the only day for such service. In addition to this, we always desire to do our share of the intellectual work of a State like Massachusetts, and I congratulate you and the Society that we have secured for this occasion one of the bright lights of the intellect of New England; and I now introduce to you the Rev. Mr. Murray, of Park street church, Boston, who will deliver the annual address. (Applause).

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LAUGHING AT GREATNESS.

We always think of great men as in the act of peforming the deeds which give them renown, or else in stately repose, grand, gloomy and majestic. And yet this is hardly fair, because even the most gorgeous and magnificent of human beings have to bother themselves with the little things of life which engage the attention of us smaller people. No doubt Moses snuffed and got angry when he had a severe cold in his head, and if a fly bit his leg while he was sitting in the desert—why should we not suppose he did not jump and use violent language and rub the sore place? And Cæsar, isn't it tolerably certain that he used to become furious when he went up stairs in the dark to get his slippers and found that Calphurnia had shoved them back under the bed so that he had to sweep around wildly for them with the broom-handle? And when Solomon cracked his crazy bone, is it unreasonable to suppose that he hopped around the room and looked mad and felt as if he wanted to cry? Imagine George Washington sitting on the edge of the bed putting on a clean shirt, growing at Martha because the buttons were off; or St. Augustine with an apron around his neck having his hair cut; or Joan of Arc holding her front hair in her mouth, as women do, while she fixed up her back hair; or Napoleon jumping out of bed in a frenzy to chase a mosquito around the room with a pillow; or Martin Luther in his night-shirt trying to put the baby to sleep at two o'clock in the morning; or Alexander the Great with the hiccups; or Thomas Jefferson getting suddenly over a fence to avoid a dog; or the Duke of Wellington lying in bed with the mumps; or Daniel Webster abusing his wife because she hadn't tucked the covers in at the foot of the bed; or Benjamin Franklin paring his corn with a razor; or Jonathan Edwards at the dinner-table, wanting to sneeze just as he gets his mouth full of hot beef; or Noah standing at his window at night throwing bricks at a cat.—*Max Adeler.*

JEFF DAVIS' FIRST SWEETHEART.

There is living in Detroit, says an exchange, a venerable and respected lady, who to those who know her is the heroine of a strange story. She may be seen almost any day on the street, hurrying from her tour of shopping back to her pleasant little home, where over her needle and thread her fancies have full play and memory is supreme. She is a woman of rare intellect and great cultivation, and an exemplary Christian. She has been married twice and twice a widow, and now, as time is drawing his silver tracings through her hair, she moves alone! The loved ones of the past are gone. Her interests and her affections draw her towards the world of spirits. She was in her younger days, the betrothed of Jefferson Davis. Why they never married is not known. She treasures too dearly the casket of the past to open it to other eyes. It may be that to her near and dear ones she tells the story. I am not among them, and do not know it. It is certain, however, whatever may have prevented the consummation of their early plans, that she and the rebel President have never lost their regard for each other. They still exchange letters, and watch over each other's welfare. Two such lives, running in such different channels, and yet having sympathy of heart and interest, have much to attract each other. His has been a life of splendid achievements and ignoble failures—full of excitement and thrilling episodes. Hers, having its own vicissitudes, borne like a woman, has been quiet and uneventful, but, perhaps, as wonderful as his. When I pass her on the street or see her in church, I feel like running to her and asking for her story. I know it would be interesting. The sweetheart of Jefferson Davis! Who would not like to go back of his plottings for power, and his struggles in behalf of treason, and learn something more of his boyhood and how he acted when in love?

A WIRE TRELLIS BEST FOR RASPBERRIES.

For raspberry vines that require support, there is no contrivance more simple, durable and cheap, than a single wire stretched along the line of the row, and fastened to posts, driven into the ground every thirty feet. No. 14 wire will be found quite strong enough. This is the size manufactured for use in Western vineyards, and for making grape trellises, No. 14 is preferred to a heavy wire. The figures below give the cost to the writer of putting up nine lines of this sized wire on as many rows of Philadelphia raspberries. These rows are seven feet apart and 660 feet long—a patch occupying not quite three-quarters of an acre. The wire was bought at the factory, twenty per cent. off the retail price. A roll that measured when drawn out a little more than 4000 feet, cost $6 50. The chestnut stakes, six to seven feet long, made from the tops and branches of trees felled last winter, were cut and sharpened by an ax-man in one day, at the expense of $1 50. It took two men and a boy half a day to make the holes with a crowbar, drive the posts, and fasten the wire. Outlay for this, $2 25; wire staple for fastening the line, 75 cents; total, $11. With an occasional rotting stake to be replaced, this support will last at least five years, with a mere trifle to keep it in repair. Both for raspberries and grapes, stretched wires have been found better for tying than when single stakes are used, and raspberries fastened to wires can be picked much faster than when the vines are left without supports or tied to stakes.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

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COLUMBUS, Miss., June 1.

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MARRIAGES.

In this city, Sept. 2, by Rev. Dr. Manning, Albert H. Wilkins to Sarah P. Rawe, both of Boston.

In Milford, Conn., Sept. 4, by Rev. Dr. Dodge of Stamford, Conn., George M. Stearns of Brookline, Mass., to Mary D. W. Baldwin, daughter of Richard S. Baldwin, of Milford.

In Troy, Me., 7th inst., by Rev. J. E. Barry, Mr. James Wilson to Mrs. Elizabeth Barker both of Boston.

In New Bedford, on Saturday, 6th inst., at the Unitarian Church, by Rev. William J. Potter, William Rotch to Mary R. daughter of the late Hon. T. D. Eliot, all of New Bedford.

In Medford, Sept. 3, at the residence of S. B. Perkins, College Hill, by Rev. F. J. Wagner, Daniel C. Hook of Fremont, N. H., to Nellie F. Simpson of Exeter, N. H.

DEATHS.

In this city, Sept. 8 Andrew Bigelow Burridge, 56 yrs

In Chelsea, Sept. 8, Rev. Jeremiah Campbell, 81 yrs.

In Malden, Mass., Sept. 6th, Margaret Johnson, wife of the late George Johnson, Esq., of Boston.

In Walpole, Sept. 7, of pneumonia, Charles Haynes, Esq., of Boston, 77 yrs.

In Quincy, Sept. 8, Mary Phipps, daughter of Horace and Rebecca P. Baleigh, 3 yrs 10 mos.

In Groton, Sept. 3, Ebet Woods, 78.

In Canton, Sept. 5, Thomas W. Finley, M D.

In New Bedford, Sept. 3, Susan A. wife of William R. Palmer, 60 yrs.

In Cambridge, Sept. 9, William Phillips, 88 yrs.

In Somerville, Sept. 5, Mary Elizabeth, 10 mos. 20 dys, daughter of Rev G. R. W. and Mary Dow Scott of Newport, N. H

In Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 31, Annabell F. Crosby, wife of Charles C. Lecombe, and daughter of the late Frederick Crosby of Milford, N. H.

In Stoneham, 8th inst., Nihamiel Treadwell, 83 yrs.

BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

The demand for combing Wool has been quite active, and considerable sales have been made. Stocks are only moderate, and prices are steady.

Pulled Wool is in active demand, and sales would be large if the supply was not so light. Stocks of choice pulled Wools are quite limited, and prices are firm.

California Wool has been active, with heavy sales. Prices of choice Northern Wools are firm. Inferior grades are less sought, but sell well at ruling rates.

Foreign Wool has sold fairly, and stocks are being gradually reduced. Prices are firm, and are more readily obtained than a month ago, the advance in domestic aiding materially in moving foreign Wool.—*Com. Bulletin.*

BOSTON PRODUCE MARKET.

Butter.—The market is firm for fine butter, and there is not enough of this description to supply the demand, but the other grades are dull and the sales in small lots. We quote fine New York and Vermont at 30@32c, with selections selling at 33@34c; fine Western at 24@29c; good lots of York State at 26@28c; common and medium Western at 16@18c, and bakers' at 15c ₱ lb.

Cheese.—There is no special activity to note, and the market is steady at 13@13½c for fine factory; 10@12c for medium; farm dairies at 10@12c ₱ lb.

Eggs.—The market is not quite so active, although prices are unchanged, and fresh lots sell at 27c for Eastern, and 26@27c ₱ doz for Northern.

Beans.—There is no change in the market for beans, and the demand is mainly in small lots for consumption. We quote prime medimms at $2 70@2 87; good do at $2 45@2 60; prime pea beans at $2 25@2 60; good do at $2 0 a $2 25 ₱ bush.

Fruit.—Apples are unchanged, and sell at $4 00@4 50 for York State sweetings, and $3 50 ₱ bbl for sweet. Peaches are selling at $2 00@2 00 ₱ crate. Pears at $8 00 a12 00 for Bartletts, $4 00@6 00 ₱ bbl for others varieties. Grapes sell at 10c ₱ lb for Hartford and Concord.

Potatoes.—The market is firmer for Early Rose, as the receipts for the past few days have been light. Sales have been made at 70a75c ₱ bush. Sweets are a little firmer, and although there were sales made at $4 00 ₱ bbl for Nansetts, they were firm at $4 50. Jerseys sell at $4 50a5 00 ₱ bbl. Onions are lower, and range from $3 75@4 00 ₱ bbl.

Hay.—There is no change to note, and the market is steady at $25 00a27 00 ₱ ton for prime, and $14 00a20 00 for common to fine. Straw sells at $25 00a26 00 ₱ ton.

Cattle Markets.

Brighton, Watertown, Medford.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING THURSDAY, Sept. 10.

Reported expressly for the Ploughman

Amount of Stock at market:

	Cattle.	Sheep.	Store Pigs	Fat Hogs.	Veals
This week	3583	17093	180	18500	215
Last Week	4039	19046	150	18400	245
Left over from last week					

Droves of Cattle and Swine.

Maine.

Libby & Randall.....17
S F Gerald.....409

New Hampshire.

J S Nutter.....122
A C Fifield.....2
I B Sargent.....18
D Bow.....115
H Goodnough.....120

Vermont.

F Myrick.....126
W Bragg.....3
Ralph & Way.....8
H F Sutliey.....20
F F Brooks.....1
E Whitcomb.....4
A Tower.....13
F Bliss.....12
E Taylor.....152
H P Pollard.....22
S Leach.....
H G A Smith.....406
Hastings & Gilbert.....
W Cook.....83
W Ricker.....121
H Cushman.....40
G W Clark.....15
C Brown.....120
M F Sheehan.....37
S F Kimball.....2
C C Ripley.....101
Brownell-Fielding.....28
J S Fry.....3
O Kimball.....130
T Hooker.....41
Chas Ordway.....120
C W Bailey.....950
L Hastings.....1 470

H D Bryant.....125
R C Rowell.....114

Western States.

A N Monroe.....1019
W Scallans.....447
Wales & Heath.....171
Fitch, McFlynn
& Co.....530
Farrell & Eames..116
Hathaway-Swift. 240
Stetson & White. 72
D G Stevens.....32
Sawyer & Heath. 127
A White.....54
D Thompson.....206
G W Hollis.....
H B Goodenough.....410
S F Woodbridge..120

New York.

O McCarthy.....108
B Hurlburt.....400
Clark & Burdick. 15
H Lawrence.....250
Smithers & Bliss. 51
B McCarthy.....22
H Rush.....367
J H Sanford.....700
C W Bailey.....350
S S Rodgers.....725
W Fisher.....37

Canada.

Merrill & Moulton.....111
L W Seaman.....356
J N Morse.....110.0
Hastings, Campbell
& Co.....1210
N G Batchelder....925
O H Potter.....530
G Dillon.....250

BEEF CATTLE.

PRICES PER HUNDRED POUNDS LIVE WEIGHT.

A few premium bullocks		7 @ 7½
Extra fine quality		7 @ 7½
First quality, good cows, best steers, &c.		6½ @ 7
Second quality, or good, fair beef		5 @ 6
Third quality, lighter young cattle, cows, &c.		4 @ 5
Poorest grade of coarse cows, bulls, &c.		3 @ 4
Beef Cattle, ₱ lb, dressed weight,		7 @ 8
Brighton Hides, per lb		6 @ 6½
Brighton Tallow, per lb		6 @ 6½
Country Hides, per lb		6 @ 6½
Country Tallow, per lb		5 @ 5½
Calf Skins, per lb		16@18
Wool Skins, each		
Lamb Skins, each		75@ 87½
Sheep Skins, each		75@ 87½
Dairy Skins each		75@ 87½
Sheared Sheep Skins each		

Nearly all the Beef Cattle, especially those that are brought in from the West, are sold by the pound, live weight, but a very few are sold by the pound, dressed weight, or by the pound at shrinkage from live weight, agreed upon, as it was formerly the custom. Dealers find that the live weight system is the best for all parties concerned, and nearly all the Western markets sell by the pound live weight

The trade for beef cattle did not open so active-ly this week as it did one week ago. The supply of cattle from the West was lighter and in just portion to the number were better than those of last market. There were not so many Texas cattle among those from the west as has been of late. Prices were from ½ to ¼ of a cent ₱ lb lower than those obtained one week ago. There were but a few cattle sold for over seven cents ₱ lb. Among those from the west were a good many cattle of a very fair grade selling at 6¼ to 6¾c. Some of the best lo's of cattle were taken at a commission. From Maine there were a few cattle and stores for which there has been much call for yet this season; drovers say that there will be but a few cattle brought into market from Maine this season. Buyers are in market every week purchasing beef cattle for the Maine markets. From the north the supply cattle this week was light.

SALES OF CATTLE AT BRIGHTON.

A N Monroe sold 89 to Dana average weight 1455 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 6 to Scallans average weight 1386 lbs at 7c ₱ lb live weight; 38 to Jordan average weight 1451 lbs; 15 to Richardson average weight 1334 lbs at 7c ₱ lb live weight; 15 to Zoller average weight 1336 lbs at $5 70 ₱ hundred live weight; 16 to Lovitt, average weight 1326 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 12 to Chamberlin average weight 1322 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 36 to Jackson average weight 1362 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 17 to Richardson average weight 1327 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 40 to Sisson average weight 1226 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 18 to Sanderson average weight 1359 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight.

Wm Scallans sold 21 to Voit, average weight 1283 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 40 to Kain average weight, 1342 lbs at 6¾c ₱ live weight. 64 Weitz, average weight 1414 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb, live weight; 12 to Spooner, average weight 1109 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 6 to Leamand, average weight 1526 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 20 to Gowing, average weight, 1288 lbs at 6¾,30 ₱ head live weight; 6 to Whitaker, average weight 1410 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight.

Hathaway & Swift sold 17 to Brooks, average weight 1334 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 25 to Osgood at average weight 1340 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 10 to Holmes average weight 1038; 8 to Higgins average weight 1031; 8 to Swift average weight 1076 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb.

Fitch, McFlynn & Co. sold 11 to Abbott average weight 1431 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 38 to Sawyer, average weight 1346 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 8 to Hems average weight 1393 lbs at 7c live weight; 8 to Gordon average weight 1257 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 16 to Lovitt average weight 1294 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 22 to Simson average weight 1375 lbs at 7c live weight; 64 to Jackson & Jordan at 7c ₱ lb live weight.

White & Stetson sold 17 to Sanderson average weight 1338 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 13 to King average weight 1227 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 12 to Raymond average weight 1148 lbs at 6¾ ₱ lb live weight; 7 to Studley average weight 1110 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight;

Wales & Heath sold 87 to Sanders, 55 to Gowing at a commission; 19 to Valpy average weight 1162 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight.

Farrell & Eames sold 17 to Zoller average weight 1440 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight; 2 to Upton average weight 1155 lbs at 6¾c ₱ lb live weight.

J. B. Cook & Co., sold 4 to Jewett average weight 1400 lbs at 7c ₱ lb live weight; 4 to Foden, average weight 1177 lbs at 6¼ live weight.

WORKING OXEN.

But a few pairs in market, the demand for working oxen has not been very active yet this season a few pairs each week being all the market requires.

J D Hosmer sold 1 pr gth 7 ft 6 in, $225; 1 pr gth 7 ft 4 in, $210; 1 pr gth 7 ft, $185; 1 pr gth own way. But few lots of lambs sold at 7c, and down to 6 or 5¾c, as to quality.

J S Fry sold 102 sheep and lambs, average 70 lbs, at 6¾c. O Kimball sold 130 that weighed 9420 lbs, at 6c. E C Rowell sold 114 lambs at 7c, average 64 lbs. Houghton & Wilcox sold 130 sheep, average 68 lbs, at 5c.

POULTRY.

Chickens are less called for than hens. For mixed lots 17c was obtained. J S Fry sold 1700 lbs, mostly hens and chickens. C W Bailey sold 100 head of young geese at $1 ₱ head, average 8 lbs,

ALBANY MARKET.

Beeves.—The market was dull and straggling, although prices were nearly the same as last week, and the quality of the Cattle much better. Receipts to date amount to 10,913 head—an excess of 2,024 head over those of last week. There was a scarcity of Texas Cattle in the market Brighton and the Eastern dealers were fairly represented in the lanes. Good Cattle were bought at 5c off, and common to fair Cattle at 5c on last week's prices. A few car loads are expected.

Mr. H. S. Rockwell sold 95 splendid Illinois steers at $6 55, and another lot of 87 at $6 85 to Mr. A. G. Heath, being the best prices quoted.

RECEIPTS.—The following are the receipts of the week, in car loads, taken from the Central railroad register at West Albany:

	Cattle.	Sheep.	Hogs.
Sunday	51	5	29
Monday		1	68
Tuesday	54	10	77
Wednesday	59	33	40
Thursday	215	55	9
Friday	148	90	45
Saturday	62	4	51
Susquehanna R. R.	—	—	—
Total	589	147	328

The following is a comparative statement of the receipts at this market by rail for the week ending noon to-day and previous, estimating cattle 17 head to the car; sheep 200, and hogs 100.

	This week.	Last week.	Total since Jan. 1
Beeves	10,013	7,989	
Sheep	29,400	12,000	
Hogs	32,800	24,700	

Milch Cows.—The market is dull. Only ten head seen in the yards.

Sheep and Lambs.—The quality of the Sheep is good, but the market is somewhat glutted. The prices were a little below those of last week. Sheep quoted at 4@6c, and Lambs 6¼@7c.

Calves.—Only a few in the market. The best quality were offered at 7½c ₱ lb.

Hogs.—No quotations. Very little doing.—*Albany Journal.*

NEW YORK MARKET.

Beeves dull and downward; receipts 10,219 head; quoted at 10a11c for medium to good; 11a12½c for good to choice. Cows steady at 10a55; receipts 587; head Sheep and Lambs lower and heavy, at 5a6½c for Sheep; 6 a8c for Lambs; receipts 34,368 head. Swine easier at 5 a7c; receipts 38,276 head.

PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET.

Beef Cattle.—Market dull and prices are steady; about 2200 head sold at $4 50@7 50 ₱ 100 lbs for common to extra. Cows and Calves were dull; sales at $30@70 00 for springers, and $30 00@55 00 ₱ head for fresh Cows. Sheep were active; sales of fair to choice at 4½@5¾c ₱ lb gross. Lambs sold at 8@9c. Hogs were lower; receipts 6900 head; sales of corn fed at $6 75@7 25 ₱ 100 lbs net.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Cattle.—Drovers and commission sellers will find little to be happy over in the results of their transactions during the past week. On the contrary, drovers that were so unfortunate as to be caught with common to medium stock on their hands, will, in settling up their week's operations, have very good reasons for feeling a little down in the mouth. The few drovers of good to choice stock sold at as good figures as were realized for the same qualities on the week before, yet, for all grades below choice, prices were off fully 15@25c ₱ 100 lbs. The decline was the most positive in rough, grassy steers of 1,100 to 1,250 lbs average, although Texans and common mixed lots of native stock were weak at the decline, and hard to dispose of. Selling, in some instances, claimed that common to medium stock was 25c lower than on last week, yet we are sure that 25c will fully cover the shrinkage. The demand for medium to choice shipping steers was only moderate at best, while for common grades, there was less doing than on any preceding week this summer, and as a result there was a large accumulation in the pens that had to be carried over from day to day at a large expense to the holders.

Choice graded steers sold to a limited extent at $6 00 @6 30; good to prime second class at $5 75@5 85, and good at $5 50@5 65. A large portion of the shipping trade, however, was within the range of $4 25@5 40. Texans sold at $1 50@2 00 for common, and $3 50@3 75 for medium to good lots.

Hogs.—Since our last weekly review the arrivals have been 60,356, against 66,093 last week. For the four weeks the receipts have been 214,816. It has been an active week in this department of the live stock market. The weather throughout has been cool and favorable for the hauling of stock, and with a full attendance of local and outside buyers, sellers have found no difficulty in preventing accumulations, and the prices current the week have easily been maintained. Light, smooth bacon grades still show the greatest activity, and rule close to a demand much the best prices, but heavy weights are doing much better than formerly, and as the season advances the difference now existing will, it is thought, be expected to gradually disappear. At the close the market was fairly active and exhibited a firm tone.

Sheep.—The receipts show a considerable increase as compared with any previous week within the past two months or more; but the cooler weather prevailing has witnessed a corresponding increase in the demand, and the market has ruled steady at prices not differing materially from those current on the week before. Choice muttons qualities have sold at $4 00@4 50, medium grades at $3 75@3 90; poor to common at $3 00@3 50.—*Prairie Farmer.*

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET.

Beef Cattle.—The market has been somewhat over supplied this week, but it has been chiefly owing to the heavy arrivals of such as are not considered first class butcher Cattle, which have been in good demand at former rates, while the others have suffered a shade decline, owing to the unwillingness of feeders and graners to pay the prices. Altogether the market has exhibited a trifle more activity than last week, with a corresponding depression of figures in the grades so referred to above.

Prices for Beef Cattle ranged as follows: Best Brevets at $5 25@6 50; that generally rated first quality $4 25@5 25; medium or good fair quality $3 75@4 25; ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and Cows $2 75@3 75; inferior and lowest grades of Cattle $0 00@0 00; general average of the market $4 50; extreme range of prices $2 75@6 50. Most of the sales were from $3 50@5 25 ₱ 100 lbs.

Sheep and Lambs.—The arrivals this week fall considerably short of the numbers received last week, and few of them were Sheep of a good quality; good butchers' Sheep are in good demand, as well as good stockers and Lambs, but they are all scarce. Feeders and stockers are chiefly called for by the Pennsylvania dealers, who have been well represented in the market. We quote ordinary to fair Sheep at 4a5c, and good to extra 5@6c, the latter would command 6 ₱ lb gross. Stock Sheep $2 50@4 00 ₱ head. Lambs $2 00@4 00 ₱ head.

Hogs.—There have been quite full receipts this week, following the heavy run of last week, and this, with the large numbers holding over, has caused prices to give way 1@2 ₱ lb as compared with previous figures. The demand has been fair at our quotations. Prices at present are about at a stand, and an improvement is the next anticipated change in figures on the scarcity, which will probably be next week. We now quote corn fed Hogs at $6 50@7 00, stillers $6 25@6 50, and grassers $6 50 ₱ 100 lbs net.—*Baltimore Sun.*

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of EBEN WOODS, late of Groton, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to GEORGE J. GATES, of said Groton.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

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Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

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THE REPRIEVE.

BY ELIZA F. MORIARTY.

He sat alone in his narrow cell,
Alone with remorse and haunting woe;
The sun had fled and its mantle fell
In rosy folds on the earth below;
And, through the chinks of his prison bars,
The convict gazed on the holy stars.

Then, over his soul's vast solitude,
There swept the phantom of wasted time
And lo! a spirit more dread pursued,
The baleful, shuddering shadow of crime,
Crumbling beneath its skeleton tread,
Sweet virtue and peace and hope lay dead.

Rose from the depths of his heart's despair,
Two voices mingling in love's sweet tale,
Floating around on the empty air,
Dying away in a low, wild wail.
He lives that hour of jealousy o'er
When his blade was red with the lover's gore.

Day dawned o'er the kindling summer sky;
The jailor grim and his guard stood there,
To lead him forth in his youth, to die
For the deed he wrought in wild de spair.
They enter in—lo! in awe they leave;
Death gave the culprit a long reprieve.

Boston Habdada, 1873.

Ladies' Department.

MUSICAL MYSTERY.

One chilly, windy evening, in December 1831, three men sat around a tall office stove in Mr. Simon Shrowdwell's establishment. He was a model of an undertaker, about fifty years of age, and the most exemplary and polite of sextons in an old Dutch church. He was a musical man, too, led the choir, and sang in the choruses of the oratorios, that were given in the town of Boggsville. He was a smooth shaven, sleek looking man, dressed in decorous black, wore a white cravat, and looked not unlike a second hand copy of a clergyman. He had that fixed, pleasant expression customary to a profession whose business it was to look sympathetic on grief. Still it was a kind expression, and the rest of his features indicated that he did not lack firmness.

On this December evening Mr. Shrowdwell and his wife, happened to be out visiting. His young man, Wm. Spindles and two of his friends who had come in to keep him company, sat by the stove smoking their pipes, and chatted as cheerily as if the cases for the dead surrounding them were only ornaments. Their talk was gay and airy, and people who passed the windows looked in and smiled to see the difference between the social smoking and the solemn. One of the young men had smoked his pipe and rapped it three times on the stove, to knock out the ashes. There was an answering knock somewhere near; but it did not seem to come from the street door. They were a little startled, but Spindles called out: "Come in"?

Again came the rapping in another part of the room. "Come in"? roared Spindles, laying his pipe down. The street door slowly opened and in glided a tall, thin man. He was a stranger. He wore a tall, broad-brimmed hat and a long dark cloak. His eyes were sunken, his face cadaverous, his hands long and bony.

"I wish to see Mr. Shrowdwell."

"He is not in," said Spindles, "can I do anything for you?" "I would rather see Mr. Shrowdwell," said the stranger. "He will not be home till late this night, if you have any message, I will deliver it, or you may find him here in the morning."

The stranger hesitated. "Perhaps you can do it as well as Mr. Shrowdwell. I want a coffin." "All right," said Spindles; "step this way, please. Is it for a grown person or a child? Perhaps you can find something here that will suit you. For some relative I presume?"

"No, no, no! I have no relatives," said the stranger. Then in a hoarse whisper, *It's for myself.*"

Spindles started back and looked at hi friends. He had been used to customer ordering coffins, but this was something new. He looked hard at the pale stranger. A queer, uncomfortable chill crept over him, [illegible] was the hoarse groaning of a double bass, answered now and then by a low muffled wail of the horns, mingled with the pathetic complainings of a violin. Shrowdwell began to think he was dreaming, rubbed his eyes and ears to see whether he was awake. After considerable of tuning, the instruments fell into an accompaniment to the double bass, in Beethoven's celebrated song "*In questa tomba oscura.*"

The tone was as if the air were played on the harmonic intervals of the instrument, and yet was so weirdly and so wonderfully like a human voice, that Shrowdwell felt as if he had got into an enchanted circle. As the solo drew to its conclusion, the voice that seemed to be in it, broke into sobs, and ended in a deep groan.

But the undertaker summoned up his courage, and determined to probe the mystery to the bottom. Coming nearer to the vault, and looking in, what should he see, but the musical coffin lying just inside the tomb. The undertaker was convinced that the stranger was the performer of the solo, but where was the instrument? He was about to speak, when at the first sound of his voice, the lid of the musical coffin shut with a slam, which made the sexton jump back at least three feet. At the same time the dim phosphor light ceased burning, and there was another groan from the double bass in the coffin. The sexton determined to open the case. He stooped over it and listened. He thought he heard inside, the sound like putting a key into a padlock. He instantly wrenched open the cover.

Immediately there was a snapping of strings, and the cracking of light wood, then a strange sizzling sound, and then a loud explosion, and the undertaker lay senseless on the ground.

Mrs. Shrowdwell waited for her husband till a late hour, but he did not return. She grew very anxious, and at last went to see Spindles to ask. That gentleman was about to retire, after a good dose of brandy, when Mrs. Shrowdwell told her anxiety, to which Spindles replied by stating what he saw that evening. She at once called for police, and with pistols and lanterns, they went to the cemetery. After some searching the watchmen found the vault, and poor Shrowdwell in a senseless condition. They sent for a doctor, who gradually brought him to his senses. He could not, however, give a clear account of the event. They took him home and finding himself uninjured, he made light of the affair, told her of the $50 note and fell asleep.

Next morning he went to the safe, to look after his $50, for he had an uncanny dream about it. It was gone, and in its place was a black piece of charred paper. The undertaker at last came to the conclusion, that diabolical witch-craft was at the bottom of all of it.

One day, however, looking over the parish records, he came upon some facts with regard to the Italian vault. It was as follows: Signor Domerico Pietri, of noble family, had lived in that town some fifty years ago. He was of an unsocial, morose disposition, and very proud. His income was small, and his only son Ludovico, who had a decided talent, determined to seek his fortune in larger cities as a performer on the double bass. It is said his execution on the harmonic notes, was something wonderful. But his father opposed his course, either from motives of family pride, or wishing to engage in commerce, and on one day in an angry dispute, banished him from the house.

Very little was known of Ludovico Pietri. He lived a wandering life and suffered from poverty. Finally all traces of him were lost. The old man died and was buried in the Italian vault. But there was a story told of a performer on the double bass, who played such wild and passionate music, that in his lonely garret, one night, the Devil appeared and offered him a great bag of gold for his fiddle; proposing, at the same time, that he should sign a contract, that he would not play any more during his life time, except at his (the Devil's) bidding. The musician being very poor accepted the offer and signed the contract, and the Devil vanished with his big fiddle. But afterwards the poor musician repented the step and took it so to heart, that he became insane and died.

Now whether this strange visitor to Mr. Shrowdwell's establishment, was a live man or the ghost of the poor maniac, was a question which couldn't be satisfactorily settled. Shrowdwell was such a skeptic all his life, that he at last came to the conclusion, that he must have been dreaming, when he had that adventure in the graveyard, and this, notwithstanding Spindle's repeated declarations, and those of the two young men, (none of whom accompanied Shrowdwell in his visit), that everything happened just as I relate it.—*The Musical World.*

☞ A citizen of Connecticut recently introduced to a newly married man, congratulated him warmly, and said: "Ah! these Litchfield County girls make clever wives; I've had three of 'em."

Domestic Economy.

VALUABLE RECIPES.

CHOCOLATE PUDDING.—One quart of milk three table spoons of corn starch, three of grated chocolate, a little salt, three eggs and three-quarters cup of sugar. Flavor with vanilla.

Let the milk come to a boil, then stir in briskly the yolks of the eggs mixed with the other ingredients, boil till it thickens well, flavor with vanilla and pour into a pudding dish. Beat the whites of the eggs with two spoons of white sugar, to a stiff froth, cover the top of the pudding and bake a delicate brown.

CREAM PIE, &c.—Will some of the lady contributors to the *Ploughman* please inform me how to make cream pie and New York gingerbread, and oblige

A CONSTANT READER.

Brookline, August 22, 1873.

FASHIONS FOR LITTLE BOYS.

Up to about ten years of age, the dress of a boy is so nearly that of a girl that there is little distinctive difference. According to the present style, the first departure from the kilte sacque, or Gabrielle, which is worn also by girls, is the Scotch suit, with the kilted skirt and jacket, most perfect when made of the plaid of some one of the clans. but adopted also for pique and other summer goods. The jacket to this suit is slashed, bound with fancy braid, and finished with a button at the top of each scallop and up the front. If made of plaid, the binding is usually of black braid, and the buttons brass; if made of pique, the binding is of white linen braid, and the buttons pearl. Very beautiful sets of the same fashion are made of fine navy-blue, green, or brown waterproof, finished in the same manner as the plaid. To be exact, the frock of the Scotch suit must be of plaid; the jacket of black velvet, trimmed with silver buttons; the cap of black velvet, with an eagle's wing fastened one side with a spray of Scotch thistle; scarf of the plaid buckled on the left shoulder; and for an apron, the *sporran*, for children, made of enamelled cloth, and trimmed with white and black fur in a fringe and tufts.

After five years of age the boy becomes "the little master," when the thought of a frock or petticoat is highly offensive; and from this time up to about ten he is knee breeches. About that time he becomes more especially the care of the tailor. Knee breeches are now usually made plain—or rather ungathered—and trimmed down the outer seam with one or two rows of braid, with four or six buttons set closely together at the bottom. These breeches are set, slightly full, to a waistband, and are fastened at each side. With these the slashed jacket, or the sacque jacket loosely belted at the waist, is worn, and these are more or less faneiful with braid and buttons. Breast and side pockets—the pecu liar delight of boys—are never omitted. Tweed, all wool English waterproof, linen duck, pique and Marseilles are used for boys' clothes. The very fashionable

SAILOR SUITS

are made of navy blue English waterproof, trimmed with white braid. Boys' suits, according to quality, sell at from $6 to $30; the average is from $10 $15. With the sailor suit is worn the square crowned, flat brimmed tarpaulin hat, with a blue ribbon band embossed with anchors; with the other styles of dress, described above, the Glengarry cap and the turban are worn, and the hat with the crown slightly rounded and brim slightly curled. Boys who long ago arrived at the dignified age when the shirt is worn, wear

SHIRT WAISTS,

made with plaits in front and back, and set to a waistband, to which the breeches are buttoned.

By recent advices we are informed that feathers for bonnet and hat garniture will be more decidedly a feature for the fall and winter than ever before. Among fashion's ideas is that of

OSTRICH FEATHERS OF NATURAL COLOR,

andin their exquisite mottling and tinting show how far superior is nature in its delicacy to any system of dyeing. These natural tinted feathers are now used on bonnets and hats of almost every color, as they may be obtained from a greyish white to a rich chocolate brown, mottled and streaked with snow white. They set at from $1, to $12 each, according to length and fullness.

LITANY TO JESUS.

[FROM THE GREEK.]

Jesus, name of all names above;
Jesus, best and dearest;
Jesus, fount of perfect love;
Holiest, tenderest, nearest;
Jesus, source of grace completest;
Jesus, purest, Jesus sweetest;
Jesus, well of power divine,—
Make me, seal me, keep me thine!

Jesus crowned with thorns for me,
Scourged for my transgressions;
Jesus, in thine agony,—
Witness my confession!
Jesus, clad in purple raiment;
Jesus, bleeding, making payment,—
Jesus, all Thy woe and pain,
Must not, cannot be in vain!

—*Advocate of Holiness.*

THE JOYS OF AFFECTION.—Cherish your heart's affections. Indulge in the warm and gushing emotions of filial parental and fraternal love. Think it not a weakness. God is love. Love God, everybody and everything that is lovely. Teach your children to love; to love the rose, to love the robin, to love their parents, to love their God. Let it be the studied object of their domestic culture to give them warm hearts, ardent affections. Bind your whole family by these strong cords. You cannot make them too strong. Religion is love—love to God, and love to man.

QUIPS, QUIRKS AND QUODLIBETS.—So a witty compliment is rarely made as that of Sydney Smith's to his friends Mrs. Tighe and Mrs. Cuffe: "Ah, there you are!—the cuff that every one would be glad to wear and the tie that no one would lose."

"Which side of the street do you live on, Mrs. Kippis?" asked a counsel, cross-examining a witness. "On either side, sir. If you go one way it's on the right side; if you go the other way it's on the left."

Blogg says he was knocked almost flat the other day by suddenly reflecting that nearly all the pretty girls are but incipient mothers-in-law.

A little beggar girl in New York has got hold of the wrong paper which certifies that "the bearer is a widow with five children, in destitute circumstances."

When can it be said that a broken and dismasted ship is a perfect one?—When it enters Plymouth sound.

When is a bullock's tongue like a leopard?—When it's spotted, of course.

The best iron "tonic" for fashionable ladies to use—The flat-iron.

Anecdotes.

☞ A few days since a critic at the Royal Academy noticed a man standing close to a charming landscape and anxiously scanning the faces of the crowd, evidently with a view to ascertaining the effect made upon them by the picture. "You are, I imagine," said the critic, addressing the stranger, "the painter of this picture, judging from the interest you take in it. Allow me to congratulate you." "No, sir, indeed, I am not." "Really?" questioned the critic. "I am the framer, sir," was the reply, "and I am watching the effect of my frame upon the public."

☞ A Philological Poser.—Herr Professor: "Isa it not a shdrainch ting, laties, dat de Latin race gannot aguire de Enklish bronunceyation. I haf choost dis moment hardet from an Idalian chendleman (a cradle vrent of mine ant a ferry glever man) who has lifted in Lonton almost as I half—dventy-vife eeeerrs—and foote you pelief it? He shbeegs English vit a kvite shtrong voreign indonation! How to you aground vor a zoessghdra orrrtinary zeergoomshadanz as tat?"

THE LAST FROM SCOTLAND.—Baillie Sawmum: "Of coorse I want Wullie to hae a guid eddycation; in fac, I'm thinkin' o' sendin' him to the cemetery at Rothsay." Councillor Troot: "The ceemetery? Ah, ye'll be wantin' him to learn the dead languages, eh?" B. S. (who does not see it): "Of coorse, of coorse; deed and leevin."

☞ A Western editor, in acknowledging the gift of a peck of onions from a subscriber, says: "It is such kindnesses as these that brings tears to our eyes."

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I also use this *liquid* as a cold alkali for various purposes, such as the distillation and the brewing of tea, above coals, etc., and products, with or without other vegetables, grains, etc., or other liquids. I claim the above as food or feed, with or without mixing or cooking with other vegetable matter, grain, meal, etc., for feeding or fattening poultry or animals. I also claim the above coal, liquids, etc., as preservatives, from atmosphere and weather, of all meats and eatables, and the packing of them, as well as fruits, etc., and also the immersion of eggs in the liquid carbon to give a new shell. I claim that beef, pork and meats, dressed in quarters, and all other animals, fish, poultry, etc., may be preserved fresh for transportation on railroads, vessels or otherwise, by immersion of them in my coal water, or cake water, or both, for six day more or less, and hung up in rooms or compartments, the four sides made three inches thick, packed with ground coke or coal, with small openings on the bottom, and a cloth, or cloths, to admit the carbon and gases into the compartment. Also the curing of hay, etc., by the use of charcoal or otherwise with perforated covers, holding prepared coal or cokes, etc., with water or fluids from two to three inches deep, affording carbon, etc., to compartments; also, are used in smaller establishments, in like manner, of any size, with false, strong wire cloth floor or shelves inside, for such purposes as may be placed in rooms, apartments, on floors or shelves, in any structure, on land or on water; the bottom pan may contain ice. I claim the use of my coal and coke alkali for preserving meats, eatables, hams, bacon, beef, sea-food, etc., as a pickle, to keep the articles for a long time, and long voyages, perfectly sweet. The carbon pickle is made with about six lbs of coal or coke, two lbs of brown sugar, two lbs of salt, ten gallons of water, stand two days; to receive all kinds of meat—hams, beef, pork, bacon, sea-food, etc—for smoking, drying and preserving, after remaining in pickle ten or fifteen days, as required. The meats, after the pickle, except that the sugar is white, I use, about an inch deep, on butter, lard, etc., in packages, to keep the butter sweet for months, and all vegetables, etc. Also in the manufacture of refrigerators and fire safes, the using of prepared coal, coke, etc.; and the use of ovens and cylinders for baking and roasting coal, somewhat similar to coffee roasters. I claim coal and cokes and the alkali for use as a base for commercial and manufacturing purposes, etc., etc. I claim as one property of it, reducing of al sott metals in combination and solution in it. In the *manufacturing* and *improving* goods and fibres of every description, including soaps, tanning *sides* and curing *skins*, and improving and making water right all kinds of leather, as for tanning, dressing, shading and dyeing the above, or any other material, or either of them, and for giving lustre to all painted or varnished surfaces.

I have for some time past manufactured, used and disposed of the produce of all the varieties of calcined coals and cokes above named, in both liquid and dry conditions, as a cleanser and bleacher of all cloagimous and fatty matter, gums, etc., from wool, furs and every other fibre, and restoring stained cotton and stained goods, threads, twines, cordage, etc., cleaning all cloths, and preparing and cleansing all cloths for receiving dyes; also for removing barks, etc., from hemp, flax, etc., in the tan stak; and also for making all paper stronger, whiter and without odor, and in the manufacture of parchment; also for deodorizing rubber, gutter percha and all gums; and for improving all glues material and glycerine, and covering and strengthening the same; also for improving metals, cast or wrought, or manufactured into any article, and all bright and polished surfaces—for making all surface wires, piano and all musical wires, and giving lustre and polish to the same; spindles, machinery, etc., including iron buildings, rails and rolling stock, iron steamships or vessels, arms and armaments, engines, boilers, etc., by closing and coating the surfaces, with this absolutely indestructible compound, preventing rust and oxidation; also for converting iron, through this inexpensive process into steel. I claim the heating or calcining of iron and all other ores and metals, and cooling them in the alkali before smelting the ores, and also in railroad and all other irons and metals, and cast iron; also the immersion of ores and coal in the fluid, without roasting, for one or two days. And the using the prepared or calcined coal, and the immersion of it in water, as fuel and flux; and al o ground coke and coal, or either, with or without baking, saturated with petroleum, for heat in burning lime, making stone, and all other purposes, using no sparks or smoke. Leather, as now made, requires about six days in the alkaline to remove all the dead matter and stench; when the liquid is changed, it requires about six days more to cure the fibre and make merchantable, waterproof leather of all sorts. I claim the use of my coal, etc., to manufacture hides and skins of all kinds into superior leather, including glove leather, parchment, etc. I have made coal skin leather for twelve days, soft and waterproof. The shoe and boot makers are anxious to get good leather, made by my process, for custom work. The cost of the material for making leather—sole, upper, calf, etc.—is 20 cents for about one hundred pounds of leather; factories may be made in warehouses, with tight floors and drainage. I have made of common wire, by coating with carbon and zinc, a steel spring. The same results may be had with R. R. iron, etc. It draws the sap and closes the surfaces of all finished woods, carpentry, timber, etc., and the enriching and staining of any of such woods; also hardening, smoothing, marbleizing plastered walls, through combination, with or without coloring matter; cleansing and improving all stone and brick surfaces, by combining, filling and making smooth and indestructible surfaces, and protecting them from the weather; and for applying the above process to all works in marble and stone, such as sculpture, etc., and removing stains from painted iron, etc. I also claim the above compound as an anti friction agent or coating for gunnery. I also claim the cleansing and clarifying of all oils, vaniaise, etc., by the use of this coal and water compound. I claim, also, the distilling and using my compound of gases in fluids, in the manufacturing and perfecting illuminating and warming gases. I also claim the use of my gas fluids for creating the electricity and heatergas, by the introduction of them, distilled or not, into the heat or retort, in course of manufacture of gas, by means of sprinkling, etc, or in vapor, steam or otherwise; and also the immersion of coal and iron ore in my gas fluids, before it is placed into the retorts, adding quality and quantity to the gas and not requiring so much heat as will destroy the gas, in making; and that, by my process of making or improving gas, less material will be required. I also claim improvement in the manufacturing and deodorizing the same, and affording greater illuminating and heating power, by passing the said gases through this coal and water compound; and also that this compound is a valuable disinfectant.

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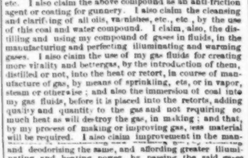

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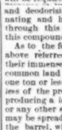

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